THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE . AND FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER): (a) Yes, Sir,

(b) The Federation of Indian Export Organisations has reported that the Managing Committee in a meeting had agreed to acquisition of flats. The Secretariat of FIEO has not received any communication from the past Pt-esidents seeking urgent meeting with the present President. It is customary from the President, FIEO to accompany some of the FIEO's Delegation or to attend Joint Business Council Meetings and Joint Commis sion Meetings.

(c) Government officers are repre sented in the Managing Committee of the Federation as coopted members. Their role is to participate in the deliberations of the Committee and give it necessary guidance, wherever necessaiy.

Bringing of DMS and Super Bazar under the control of Municipal .3 Corporation, Delhi

2201. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA: Will the Minister of F.0OD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the DMS and Super Bazar are proposed to be brought under Municipal Corpora tion, Delhi and if so, whether Mother Dairy and its outlets are also likely to be brought under same charge for more unified and economic operations; and

(b) whether Government are aware of a paper presented at FICCI Con sumer Forum on 11th February, 1986 l)y a consumer Group which has made certain positive moves in this direc tion and if so, what are the details thereof and Government's reaction in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI AJIT PANJA): (a) and (b) At the Consumer Business Forum Meeting of the Fede ration of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry held at New Delhi on 11th February, 1986, the representative of Consumer Education & Research Centre presented a paper in which it wats, *inter alia* suggested that the working of fair price shops. Mother Dairy, Delhi Milk Scheme booths and outlets of the Super Bazar and the Cooperative Stores should be integrated and coordinated. There is no proposal under consideration of the Government to bring the Cooperative Stores Limited (popularly known as Super Bazar), New Delhi, Mother Dairy and Delhi Milk Scheme under the control of the Municipal Corpora tion, Delhi.

Construction of Hotels in Orissa

2202. SHRI JAGADISH JANI: Will the Minister of PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a)i whethiei^ India Tourism peve-lopment Corporation has tmdertaken the construction of some hotels in collaboration with State Governments during the Sixth Plan Period;

(b) if so, the number of such hotels and how many of them have been completed so far; and

(c) the progress made in the construction of hotels in Orissa taken up during the Sixth Plan period jointly by the ITDC and Orissa Tourism Development Corporation?

THE MINISTER OP PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND TOURISM I (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) to (c> ITDC has undertaken the construction iof six hotel projects in collaboration

.with State Governments/Union Territories. Four hotels at Gauhati, Pari, Ranchi and Bhopal are expected to be completed duiing 1986-87 and the remaining two at Itanagar and Pondicherry during the* year 1987-83.

Structuial works have been completed for the hotel project at Puri which has been taken up in collaboration with the Orissa Tourism Development Corporation. External and internal plastering is in progress.

Textile mills in Kerala

2203. SHRI THOMAS KUTHIRA-VATTOM: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:.-

(a) what is the number of textile mills in Kerala;

(b) what is the number of mills * under the private management and how many are under the control of National Textile Corporation;

(c) whfether there is any develop ment scheme in regard to Prabhu ^ Ram Textile Mill, Chenganur, Kerala; and

(d). if so, what are the details there-

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI KHURSHID ALAM KHAN): . (a) and (b) As on 1 March, 1986, 28 Cotton textile mills (23 spinning and 5 composite) are located in the State of Kerala and managed as under;

National Textile Corporation	4
Kerala State Textile Cor poration .	6
Cooperative Sector .	3
Private Sector . .	15
TOTAL	28

(ey ann (dV Prabhu Ram Textile Mill, Chenganur, was nationalised by the State Government on 5-10-84, and, therefore, the State Government is responsible for development and fcanagement of the mijl.

Assistance from World Bank of readymade gartnents industry

2204. SHRI GULAM MOHI-UD-DIN SHAWL: Will the Minister of FINAN CE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a f^ct that the World Bank had recently studied the status of readymade garments industry, the Bank's assistance offered, the mode of receiving assistance by India etc.; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POO.JARI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Export of readymade garments

2205. SHRI GULAM MOHI-UD-DIN SHAWL: Will the Minister of TEX TILES be pleased to state: . ..

(a) whether it is a fact that' the Apparel Export Promotion Council and the Garments Association have submitted to Government recommendations, for increasing the exports of readymade garments;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what action Government have taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI KHURSHID ALAM KHAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The Government have been receiving suggestions from the Apparel Export Promotion Council and other Garment Associations for export Pronmotion from time to time. A list of export promotion measures already implemented by the Government is annaxed as per statement below.